

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 DOTE-00

FMC-02 INR-07 NSAE-00 SAL-01 CG-00 DLOS-06 OES-06

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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:EWWT, BR, US

SUBJECT:DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STUDY OF SHIPPING  
COSTS

1. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IS CONDUCTING A STUDY  
ANALYZING EFFECT OF OCEAN SHIPPING COSTS ON COMPETITIVE-  
NESS OF U.S. EXPORTS AND HAS REQUESTED DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING CERTAIN RAW DATA NOT AVAILABLE  
HERE. DOT WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF EMBASSY COULD SUPPLY  
CURRENT FREIGHT RATE FOR FOLLOWING COMMODITY, IDENTIFIED  
BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL TRANSPORTATION CLASSIFICATION  
(SITC) NUMBER, FROM BRAZIL TO DESTINATION INDICATED.  
PLEASE ALSO REPORT RATE BASIS, AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT  
SPECIFICATIONS (SUCH AS SPECIFIC PORTS OR VOLUMES):

SITC NO.	COMMODITY DESCRIPTION	DESTINATION
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2631 RAW COTTON, OTHER THAN LINTERS JAPAN

2. POSSIBLE SOURCE OF INFORMATION MAY BE BRAZIL - FAR  
EAST - BRAZIL CONFERENCE.

3. IF ABOVE INFORMATION NOT READILY AVAILABLE FROM LOCAL  
STEAMSHIP CONFERENCE OFFICES, EMBASSY SHOULD NOT DEVOTE  
UNDUE TIME OR RESOURCES TO OBTAINING INFORMATION. DOT  
WILL BE GRATEFUL FOR WHATEVER INFORMATION POST CAN  
PROVIDE. KISSINGER

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